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QUOTE OF THE MONTH



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Buyer Beware...

Purchasing A Car In Florida

Many a consumer regrets an impulsive car purchase or comes to regret the purchase because of a less-than-supportive response of a family member. One of the most common is that many Florida seniors come from other states and are not aware that in Florida, a car purchase creates an IMMEDIATELY BINDING legal agreement, unless the dealer's contract explicitly provides one. Finally, if a dealer agrees to "take back" a just-purchased car, it is likely that a new purchase has just occurred; in most cases, the first car is not "returned," but considered a trade-in on a new transaction.

A senior consumer who understands these points can avoid "buyers' remorse." To that end, it is worth looking at each point in more detail. There Is No Right to Cancel a Vehicle Agreement in Florida unless the dealer specifically provides IN WRITING, that the purchaser has the right to return the purchased vehicle, there is no three-day right to cancel a vehicle purchase agreement in Florida.

Once a consumer signs the purchase agreement and drives off the lot, the car is his. Whether the consumer returns the same day or the very next day is immaterial. The dealer will not cancel the deal. The dealer, sensing the buyers' dissatisfaction with the vehicle or the price, suggests that the buyer look around for something more suitable. When the buyer finds another vehicle which is more to his liking, a new deal is done, often treating the first car as a trade-in as part of the financing of the second vehicle.

What also becomes part of the financing of the second vehicle? Any difference between the balance of the loan on the first car and the car's value. In other words, when the consumer turns in the first car, the original deal is almost never cancelled and in most cases, a second deal is created, with an added cost.

Suggestion:

Only go to a dealership when you are interested in actually buying a car. A car purchase involves a lot of paperwork, and another set of eyes can be invaluable.

Membership Meeting

The next membership luncheon meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 15th, at the Wellington Community Center, 12150 Forest Hill Blvd. Doors open at 11:30am.



After a brief business meeting, we have a surprise in store for you in the person of Mr. Toni Martelli with his "From Vegas To You" show. Most people are aware of Elvis Presley impersonators and those singers who do Elvis tribute shows. Not as many are aware of vocalists who perform the Sinatra songbook live in concert and do shows in tribute to the heyday of the Las Vegas "Rat Pack." Martelli is one of these

performers.

Please remember when making out checks for trips, issue checks for *individual trips*.

Save The Date

Our 25th Anniversary Gala is scheduled for Friday evening, October 20th, 2017. More information will be forthcoming in future issues. So stay tuned. See you all at the next luncheon.

Our Sunshine Lady

If you know of any club member who is recovering from an illness, hospitalization, or has suffered the loss of a family member, please call our *Sunshine Lady*, Mae Loglisci at 792-5707. An appropriate card will be sent on behalf of the membership.



March

Birthstone.....Aquamarine

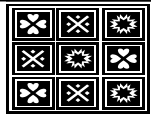
Flower.....Jonquil



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The Club House

Bridge Club... *Celia Cavagner, 793-5445,
Gladys Maloy, 214-0967*
WCC, Lakeview Room, Mondays at 12:00-4:00 PM



The Wellington Quilters...
Audrey Blobaum 333-2708
WCC, Lakefield Room, Thursdays, 9:00am-12:00 noon

Duplicate Bridge.....*Nell Stidham 793-2022*
ACBL Sanctioned Duplicate Bridge, Tuesday and
Thursday, 12:30-4:00 PM, WCC, Lakefield Room



Singles Supper Club.....*Faye Ford 790-7625*
Seniors without partners meet at a different restaurant
every week for dinner, a few laughs, food and friendship.



Canasta... *Marlene Sacks..791-0054*
Mondays at 12-4:00 PM, Village Park
Mah Jongg
Tuesdays at 12-4:00PM, Village Park



Men Are Just Happier People

NICKNAMES... If Laura, Kate and Sarah go out for lunch, they will call each other Laura, Kate and Sarah.

If Mike, Dave and John go out, they will affectionately refer to each other as Fat Boy, Jughead and No Brains.

EATING OUT... When the bill arrives, Mike, Dave and John will each throw in \$20, even though it's only \$32.50. None of them will have anything smaller and none will actually admit they want change back..

When girls get their bill, out come the pocket calculators.

MONEY... A man will pay \$2 for a \$1 item he needs.

A woman will pay \$1 for a \$2 item that she doesn't need but it's on sale.

BATHROOMS... A man has six items in his bathroom: toothbrush and toothpaste, shaving cream, razor a bar of soap and a towel.

The average number of items in the typical women's bathroom is 337. A man would not be able to identify more than 20 of these items.

ARGUMENTS... woman has the last word in any argument.

Anything a man says after that is the beginning of a new argument.

FUTURE... A woman worries about the future until she gets a husband. A man never worries about the future until he gets a wife.

SUCCESS... A successful man is one who makes more money than his wife can spend.

A successful woman is one who can find such a man.

MARRIAGE... A woman marries a man expecting he will change, but he doesn't. A man marries a woman expecting she won't change, but she does.

DRESSING UP... A woman will dress up to go shopping, water the plants, empty the trash, answer the phone, read a book and get the mail. A man will dress up for weddings and funerals.

OFFSPRING..... Ah, children. A woman knows all about her children. She knows about dentist appointments and romances, best friends, favorite foods, secret fears and hopes and dreams.

A man is vaguely aware of some short people living in the house.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

A married man should forget his mistakes. There's no use in two people remembering the same thing!

A Little Gaelic Humour

O'Driscoll was sinking in a bog, near Killarney in County Kerry, and seemed a goner when Big Dermot McCann wandered by. "Help", O'Driscoll shouted, "Oi'm sinkin'." "Don't worry," assured Dermot. "Next to the Strong Muldoon, Oi'm the strongest man in Erin, and Oi'll pull ye right out o' there". Dermot leaned out and grabbed O'Driscoll's hand and pulled and pulled to no avail. After two more unsuccessful attempts, Dermot said to O'Driscoll, "Shure, an' Oi can't do it. The Strong Muldoon could do it alone, mebbe, but Oi'll have to get some help." As Dermot was leaving, O'Driscoll called "Dermot, Dermot! D'ye think it will help if Oi pull me feet out of the stirrups?"

It's Saint Patrick's day and an armed hooded robber bursts into the Bank of Ireland and forces the tellers to load a sack full of cash. On his way out the door with the loot one brave Irish customer grabs the hood and pulls it off revealing the robber's face. The robber shoots the guy without hesitation! He then looks around the bank to see if anyone else has seen him. One of the tellers is looking straight at him and the robber walks over and calmly shoots him also. Everyone by now is very scared and looking down at the floor. "Did anyone else see my face?" screams the robber. There is a few moments of silence then one elderly Irish gent, looking down, tentatively raises his hand and says, "I think me wife may have caught a glimpse."

A man was very ill and on the verge of dying. The doctor called the man's wife in and said, "There are three things that you can do to help your husband back to health." "What are they, sir?" "One: You must make him three huge meals every day, Two: Never argue with him. Three: Make love to him every night." "Agreed." said the woman. On the way home when the husband asked what the doctor said, the woman replied, "Sorry, honey, but you aren't going to make it."

An Irishman had been drinking at a pub all night. The bartender finally said that the bar is closing. So the Irishman stood up to leave and fell flat on his face. He tried to stand one more time, same result. He figured he'll crawl outside and get some fresh air and maybe that will sober him up. Once outside he stood up and fell flat on his face. So he decided to crawl the 4 blocks to his home. When he arrived at the door he stood up and again fell flat on his face. He crawled through the door and into his bedroom. When he reached his bed he tried one more time to stand up. This time he managed to pull himself upright, but he quickly fell right into bed and is sound asleep as soon as his head hit the pillow. He was awakened the next morning to his wife standing over him, shouting, "So, you've been out drinking again!" "What makes you say that?" he asked, putting on an innocent look. "The pub called. You left your wheelchair there again."

Walking into the pub, Patrick said to the bartender, "Pour me a stiff one, Sean. I just had another tiff with the little woman." "Oh yeah," said Sean. "And how did this one end?" "Well I'll tell ya now when it was over," Patrick replied, "herself came to me on her hands and knees, she did." "You don't say? Now that's a switch! What did she say?" She said, "Come out from under that bed, you gutless weasel!"



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Steppin' Out Program 2017



The Tamburitians

The Duquesne University Tamburitians are the longest-running multicultural song and dance company in the United States. Headquartered in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, the company's members are full-time Duquesne University students who receive scholarships for their activities. For an amazing evening of theater, join us on Wednesday, March 8th, at The Palm Isles Clubhouse with dinner at The Banana Boat Restaurant. The cost for members will be \$57.00 pp., and \$84.00 pp., for guests. Our coach will spot at 3:45pm and depart at 4:00pm from the North end of Town Center. Please make checks payable to The Wellington Seniors Club. Call....

Trip Leader Peggy Caliendo 792-2343
156 Berenger Walk, Wellington 33414

Raisin Cane

"Sugar Harvest Tour"



This tour will take us into the US Sugar Facilities in Clewiston, FL. Our behind the scenes tour will include: Insight into the sugar cane harvesting, processing and packaging, a visit to The Southern Gardens Citrus

Groves and Lake Okeechobee with lunch at The Roland Martin Marina. **This trip is limited to 50 people. Necessary registration forms must be completed at time of sign-up. No forms will be mailed.**

The cost will be \$15.00pp., for members and \$25.00 pp., for guests. Our coach will spot at 7:45am and depart at 8:00am from the North end of Town Center on Monday, March 20th. Please make checks payable to The Wellington Seniors Club. (Sold Out...Wait List Only)

Trip Leader Joan Iaderesta 795-8991
9770 Bowline Drive #201, WPB 33411

Our Final Wellington Seniors Equestrian Day

The final Wellington Seniors Equestrian Day of this season will take place at the International Equestrian Center on Pierson Road on Wednesday, March 29th from 11:00am-2:00pm. For parking, follow WSC signs to White Horse Restaurant and park in lot across from restaurant. **Parking is also allowed in the Handicapped Parking area if space is available and you have a valid handicapped card or license plate.**

This area is to the left of the main entrance. Complimentary valet transportation will be available to transport you to the Special Events Tent.

The cost will be \$6.00 pp., for members and \$10.00 pp., for guests. **The last day for sign-up and payment will be Wednesday, March 22nd.** Please make checks payable to The Wellington Seniors Club. Call...

Event Leader Eileen Dix 791-1448
3754 Old Lighthouse Circle, Wellington, 33414



Gypsy

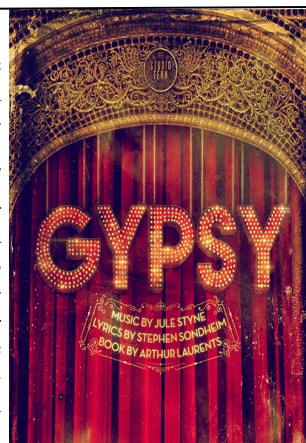
Gypsy is a 1959 musical with music by Jule Styne, lyrics by Stephen Sondheim and a book by Arthur Laurents.

Gypsy is loosely based on the 1957 memoirs of Gypsy Rose Lee, the famous striptease artist and focuses on her mother, Rose, whose name has become synonymous with "the ultimate show business mother." It follows the dreams and efforts of Rose to raise two daughters to perform on-stage and casts an affectionate eye on the hardships of show business life.

The character of Louise is based on Lee and the character of June is based on Lee's sister, the actress June Havoc.

Join us on Saturday, April 8th, at the Maltz Jupiter Theater for a fascinating and exciting performance of "Gypsy", with dinner afterward at Rollatini's Restaurant in Lake Worth. The cost will be \$57.00 pp., for members and \$75.00 pp., for guests. Our coach will spot at 12:00noon and will depart 12:15pm from the North side of Town Center. Please make checks payable to The Wellington Seniors Club. For reservations, call...

Trip Leader Cecilia Torrisi 790-1477
1581 Goodwood Terrace, Wellington 33414



Spring Dinner Dance 2017



Put on your dancing shoes and sharpen your appetites, it's time for our Spring Fling on Friday evening, April 28th at The Mayacoo Country Club, 9697 Mayacoo Club Drive, located just east of The Walmart Shopping Center off Belvedere Road, in the Breakers West community.

Enjoy a delicious sit down dinner, done in that unique Mayacoo style and be entertained by the Rondell Music Company.

Your evening begins at 6:00 O'clock pm till 10:00pm. The cost will be \$30.00pp.

for members and \$40.00 pp., for guests. There will be complimentary valet service available for your convenience.

Please make your checks payable to The Wellington Seniors Club. For reservations, please call....

Event Leader Mae Loglisci 792-5707
3742 Pelican Bay Court, Wellington FL 33414






On Aging!

**When I get old, I'm going to
move in with my kids,
hog the computer,
pay no bills,
eat all the food,
trash the house,
and when asked to clean,
pitch a fit like it's killing me!**





MARCH

			Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			Board Meeting 10:00am 	Quilters 9:00am Dup/Bridge 12:30PM		
5	Canasta 12:00 noon Bridge	Mah Jongg 12:00 noon Dup/Bridge 12:30 PM		Quilters 9:00am Dup/Bridge 12:30PM 		
12	Canasta 12:00 noon Bridge 12:30PM	Mah Jongg 12:00 noon Dup/dge 12:30 PM	Membership Luncheon Doors Open 11:30am 	Quilters 9:00am Dup/Bridge 12:30PM		
19	Canasta 12:00 noon Bridge 12:30PM <div>Rasin Cane Sugar Harvest Tour</div>	Mah Jongg 12:00 noon Dup/Bridge 12:30 PM		Quilters 9:00am Dup/Bridge 12:30PM		
26	Canasta 12:00 noon Bridge 12:30PM	Mah Jongg 12:00 noon Dup/Bridge		Quilters 9:00am Dup/Bridge 12:30PM		

Happy St. Patrick's Day

